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**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

March 12, 2014

Mr. Jeff Derouen  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Blvd  
Frankfort, KY 40601

**Re: In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. to Continue the Home Energy Assistance Program**

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. submits its election to file its Application to Continue the Home Energy Assistance Program application electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001(8).

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Kristen Ryan  
Senior Paralegal  
[kristen.ryan@duke-energy.com](mailto:kristen.ryan@duke-energy.com)

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gives notice of its

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. intent to file an application for Continuation of Home Energy Assistance Program with the Public Service Commission no later than March 24, 2014 and to use the electronic filing procedures set forth in that regulation.

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. further states that:

- |  | Yes                                 | No                                  |
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| 1. It requests that the Public Service Commission assign a case number to the intended application and advise it of that number as soon as possible;   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 2. It or its authorized representatives have registered with the Public Service Commission and are authorized to make electronic filings with the Public Service Commission;   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 3. Neither it nor its authorized representatives have registered with the Public Service Commission for authorization to make electronic filings but will do so no later than seven days before the date of its filing of its application for rate adjustment; | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Pursuant to KRS 278.380, it waives any right to service of Public Service Commission orders by mail for purposes of this proceeding only;   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 5. It or its authorized agents possess the facilities to receive electronic transmissions;   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 6. The following persons are authorized to make filings on its behalf and to receive electronic service of Public Service Commission orders and any pleadings filed by any party or the Public Service Commission Staff:                                       |                                     |                                     |

Name	Electronic Mail Address
Rocco D'Ascenzo	rocco.d'ascenzo@duke-energy.com
Kristen Ryan	kristen.ryan@duke-energy.com

7. It and its authorized representatives listed above have read and understand the procedures for electronic filing set forth in 807 KAR 5:001 and will fully comply with those procedures unless the Public Service Commission directs otherwise.

Signed 

Name: Rocco D'Ascenzo  
 Title: Associate General Counsel  
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